UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

MARKQUES THOMAS,

Case No. 1:13-cv-919

Petitioner,

Barrett, J.

vs.

Litkovitz, M.J.

WARDEN, LONDON CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION, Respondent. **ORDER**

This pro se habeas corpus action filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 is before the Court on respondent's motion to strike petitioner's objection to respondent's motion to dismiss. (Doc. 14). In a separate Report and Recommendation issued this date, the undersigned has recommended that petitioner's habeas corpus petition (Doc. 1) be dismissed with prejudice.

Respondent's motion (Doc. 14) is therefore **DENIED** as moot.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: 8/18/14

Karen L. Litkovitz

United States Magistrate Judge